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### **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

**Kindly amend Paragraph [0001] of the application as set forth below:**

[0001] This application claims priority to U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/405,749, filed August 22, 2003, the disclosure of which is hereby incorporated in its entirety. This application is related to U.S. Patent Nos. 5,707,970, filed February 12, 1997, 6,156,735, filed December 13, 1999, and 6,344,444, filed December 5, 2000.